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In re Application d

MIKI OGAWA

Application No.: 09/910,886

Filed: July 24, 2001

For: METHOD OF PREPARING POROUS MATERIALS

Docket No. 03500.015586.

Examiner: Katherine A. Bareford

Group Art Unit: 1762

Date: March 4, 2003

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Washington, D.C. 20231

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | | | |
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| | (2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | (4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | (5) PRESENT EXTRA | RATE | ADDITIONAL FEE | | |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | * 35 | MINUS | ** | = 0 | x \$9 \$18 | | | |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | * 5 | MINUS | *** 4 | = 1 | x \$42 \$84 | \$84.00 | | |
| Fee for Mu | Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140°/\$280 | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT | | | | | | \$84.00 | | |

* If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.

** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

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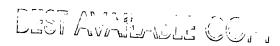
°Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

| | A check in the amount of \$84.00 is enclosed. |
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| X | A check in the amount of \$84.00 is enclosed. |
| | Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. |
| X | Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed. |
| х | A check in the amount of \$_110.00_ to cover the fee for a one month extension is enclosed. |
| | A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed. |
| X | Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below. |
| | Respectfully submitted, |
| | Attorney for Applicant |
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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

a). <u>Introductory Comments</u>

This response is in accordance with the Pre-OG Notice of January 31, 2003 entitled: "Amendments in a Revived Format Now Permitted" in which the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(a)-(d) are waived in favor of the Revised Amendment Format for amendments to an application.

Applicant petitions to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated November 4, 2002 to March 4, 2003. A check in the amount of \$110.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

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March 4, 2003 (Date of Deposit)

PETER SAXON (24947)
(Name of Attorney for Applicant)

Signature M

March 4, 2003

Date of Signature